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## Presidents Report

**FRANK IMPINNA**  
CO Federation President



As we close out 2025, we look forward to 2026 with excitement for a year of greater prosperity and good health. With that, I hope your holidays were enjoyable. The following next item on the 2026 calendar is Valentine's Day, February 14.

Thanks to our Federation and Street Level Studio's marketing efforts, our membership has grown rather than declined. We have increased by over 93 new members this year. However, we lost one of our former Federation Presidents, Paula Simmons. She served as president from 2017 to 2022.

There were several health fairs where dedicated members stepped up to recruit prospective members to NARFE. I applaud them for their efforts.

We are at a stage in life where our retirement is most important. Without the security of NARFE and the lobbying efforts of both the organization and each member, that security is in jeopardy. So, if your renewal is due soon, please consider dues withholding. Check your magazine for the form to fill out or call the membership office to authorize dues withholding. You will save 10% off the regular NARFE dues rate.

We began the year with a 2.8% COLA increase, only to see it offset by higher Medicare deductibles, higher health insurance premiums, and the cost of living.

There is the FEDcon26 in August, during which all NARFE federation presidents will meet 3 days earlier at the Hyatt Regency in Indianapolis, where the 2026 FEDcon26 conference will be held. The Federation has approved a \$1,000 subsidy for each of the 20 members to attend the conference. The magazine will provide more information in the near future, as well as our Colorado website.

## Region VII / NEB Report



**SHARON REESE**  
Region VII VP

Happy New Year Everyone!

The past year was like a roller coaster with all the "ups and downs." The "ups" were the passage of the WEP/GPO bill and members receiving a lump-sum check for 2024, with their monthly Social Security payments increasing. This was a 40-year effort on the

part of NARFE. The "downs" were primarily all the federal employees who were furloughed or fired. This is something that should never have happened. Regrettably, we may also see another round of CRA, as Congress does not seem to want to pass the Affordable Care Act. So, we must prepare to fight again!

NARFE will conduct a special referendum from January 26 through February 24 to allow members to vote on an important governance matter. Voting will be conducted securely through NARFE's independent election vendor.

An email will be sent on January 26 with the

voting instructions.

Your participation is important, and we encourage you to take part in this referendum.

In March, members will be declaring if they would like to run for National President, National Secretary/Treasurer, and your Region VII Vice President. Our National Bylaws state a Regional Vice President may only serve a total of 6 years. I will have 4 years next November. I am eligible to run for one more term of office (2 years), which I plan to do. There will also be bylaw changes to vote on in the August/September timeframe. More to follow.

Thank you for your efforts and support of the Colorado Federation!

## NARFE Colorado Federation Legislative Report



Susan Tabacheck, National Vice President Legislation

### NOTICE FROM OPM

We've got some important news for you about your tax form 1099-R. Per IRS Bulletin 2025-30 and the 1099-R consent statement, we're changing how you'll receive your 1099-R.

Starting this January, you won't be getting your 1099-R by mail anymore. Instead, you will receive an email notification with options to securely access your 1099-R online.

You can review or change your 1099-R delivery preference in your Profile section on Retirement Services Online.

While you're logged in, you can also manage:

- Annuity statements;
- Tax withholdings;
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- And more - all 24/7, no phone calls or forms

Check out our page How to login to Retirement Services Online if you need help logging in.

Questions? Please contact OPM Retirement Services.

## ARE YOU A NATIONAL-ONLY MEMBER?

As a national member, without facilitating with a chapter, all national members must be aware and know that they have the same privileges within the federation that a chapter member has. As a member of the Colorado Federation, you have the opportunity to be a candidate for a federation, elected officer, or appointed officer. This information is available and can be obtained from anyone on the executive committee.

National-only members are encouraged to participate and, if desired, engage on the fed hub community page.



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It is incumbent on all federation officers to submit appropriate articles and pictures of events occurring in their area of responsibility. Chapter officers and members are encouraged to submit brief articles and pictures of general interest about Chapter happenings.

Articles must be submitted to the editor by: **March 30** for the **April 2026** issue.

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**PAT MATHER**  
President, Chapter 1085

## Mory Lewis Chapter 1085

Our bi-monthly meetings have consistently been held at the Sunrise Sunset Restaurant, 1424 S. Wadsworth, Lakewood, at 11:30 am, the second Tuesday in February, April, August, October and December. We have a meeting room that allows privacy to have a speaker and eat lunch. This restaurant does charge a gratuity at the end, but they are very efficient in getting the tables set and ready to go each time we meet. Our Executive Committee meets prior to our Chapter meeting to discuss the agenda and go over details for future meetings. In June, we hold our annual picnic at the Stone House Pavilion in Lakewood. In December, we have a Holiday Party. Our Chapter currently has 295 members.

On Tuesday, October 14, 2025, Jane Fluekiger, Account Executive, Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield and Michelle Stoll, Group Account Manager, Kaiser Permanente, presented updates with their carriers for 2026. Later, a vote was taken of the members at the meeting, and it was unanimous to suspend the Chapter dues for our Chapter Lifetime Members. After coordination with HQ NARFE, the Chapter Lifetime Members were notified they are no longer responsible for paying Chapter dues.

Bill Douglas, Vice President, Membership, reported Mory Lewis Chapter participated in six health fairs this past fall. Blue Cross Blue Shield held a pre-open season Health Fair for BCBS members on October 21st in a ballroom at the Sheraton Hotel in Lakewood. We had four members recruiting: Kelly Lewis, Suzanne Stewart, Joanne Norte and Bill Douglas. On October 23rd, Bill joined Colorado Federation President, Frank Impinna, and Federation VP for Membership, Debbie Rodgers, for the BCBS Health Fair for Agency Benefits Officers in Building 41 on the Denver Federal Center.

On November 4th, Suzanne and Bill recruited at the Interior Business Center Health Fair in Building 48 on the Denver Federal Center. The agency was facing a possible reduction in force the following week. Many employees were very interested to learn about NARFE being a voice in Congress and a valuable information source for Federal employees. Suzanne and Bill recruited at the Federal Highway Administration Health Fair in Lakewood later that same day. We spent more time than typical with some employees who seemed very interested in what NARFE does. On November 12th, Suzanne and Bill

recruited at the Federal Corrections Institute at Kipling and Quincy in Lakewood. The number of employees who came was lower than in the past. Only four health care providers came. We did get to talk to most of the employees who came. Again, we suggested people join online. On December 1st, Suzanne, Joanne, and Bill recruited at the DFC Health Fair in Building 41. That event was well attended by health care providers, but not Federal employees and retirees. The few people we spoke to were pleased to learn about NARFE. Even though we didn't recruit anyone at the Health Care Events, Frank let us know that some people did sign up online.

On Tuesday, December 9, 2025, we held our annual Holiday party, meant for socializing and enjoying the festivities of the season. A BIG THANKS goes to Nancy Richardson, former Chapter President, who served as host of the party, posing questions to the members and conducting a fun raffle of various items she had collected. THANKS to Doii Mast, who donated two of her lovely handmade blankets for the raffle. At the end of the program, Frank Impinna installed our Chapter's 2026 slate of

officers: Patricia Mather as President, and also Vice President, Legislation and Secretary, Bill Douglas as Vice President, Membership, and Colina Rivetts as Treasurer. The meeting concluded with \$216 collected for Alzheimer's Research. We are looking forward to interesting, informative, Chapter meetings in 2026. Please contact Pat Mather, Chapter President, at 303-953-1146, or [pamather@comcast.net](mailto:pamather@comcast.net) with any questions or for more information.



**GREG KANN**  
President, Chapter 2286

## Billie Love Chapter 2286



Greetings from Billie Love Chapter 2286 in beautiful Buena Vista, Colorado. Our chapter had four meetings in 2025. Our March luncheon meeting was held at Casa Calaca Mexican restaurant in Salida. We held our annual picnic in June at the Riverside Park in Salida. Had a great September luncheon meeting and celebrated Ted Van Hintum's birthday with delicious cake on the patio at Casa Calaca in Salida. We celebrated Christmas at our December meeting and

luncheon at Jan's Restaurant in Buena Vista and all chapter officers agreed to continue in their roles for 2026. Greg Kann, Chapter President, and Ted Van Hintum, Past President, attended the NARFE 2025 Colorado Federation Conference on June 20, 2025, in Denver. Greg was elected to serve as the Treasurer for the Colorado Federation. Ted Van Hintum attended the LEGCon 2025 virtual training conference via Zoom on June 9-11, 2025. Our next meeting is set for March 9, 2026, at 11:30 at Casa Calaca in Salida, Colorado. Chapter President, Greg Kann, enjoyed playing golf with his wife, Pam, and family this Fall and is planning another golf trip with the family for 2026. We also enjoyed hiking, playing pickleball, and contradancing. We enjoyed our trip to Latvia, Estonia, and Finland in November where we observed the Northern Lights, took part in Reindeer sleigh rides, dog sledding, and snowmobiling. Attached are a few pictures of that adventure and a picture of our beautiful sunset from our home in Buena Vista. Wishing everyone all the best in 2026!!



# Denver - Capital City 0081 Chapter Report



**JIM DODRILL**  
President, Chapter 81

Denver-Capital City Chapter 81 meets on the third Friday of each month at El Gran Jardin Restaurant at Windsor Gardens, 597 S. Clinton, Denver, CO. We had about 12 members at the October 17, 2025 meeting. Nick Cresanta, Congressional District Leader CO 04 and one of our Chapter 81 new members arranged for McKenna Farley, Southern Colorado Regional Director for US Congresswoman Lauren Boebert, Colorado District 04 to speak at our October meeting. She discussed Congresswoman Lauren

Boebert's support for NARFE issues. Jane Fluekiger, BC/BS representative discussed health care changes for 2026 and distributed BC/BS plan information at the November 21, 2025 meeting. We also had representatives from Kaiser and GEICO distribute health care plan information. Chapter 81 has seven lifetime members, at the November meeting, members voted to waive future chapter dues for these members, this eliminates the chapter membership renewal notices for these members and payment of dues. December 12, 2025 was our annual Christmas luncheon attended by 32 members and guests. Hortense Haney arranged for lunch of prime rib or turkey at the El Gran Jardin Restaurant, and distributed door prizes to many of our members. We enjoyed seeing some of our senior members, Hank Kaplan and Wilton Brown both in their 90's in attendance.



From the left: McKenna Farley, Nick Cresanta, Jennifer Priche, Steve Rotenberg. McKenna Farley is Southern Colorado Regional Director for Congresswoman Lauren Boebert. 4th District, Colorado.



## Passing of Paula Simmons (Past Federation President)

On Monday afternoon, October 27, 2025, our Mom, Paula, passed away peacefully in Colorado with family by her side. We will miss her deeply but celebrate her full life. She graduated with honors as a certified public accountant, was a professor at Florida Atlantic University, and worked for both the Internal Revenue Service and the Securities and Exchange Commission. After retirement, she moved to Colorado to be closer to her grandchildren. She loved her family, meeting new people, researching our genealogy, traveling, and volunteering for several associations, including Alpha Gamma Delta, Daughters of the American Revolution, and the National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association, just to name a few. Our hearts are heavy but filled with love as she was a wonderful mother, grandmother, sister and friend, and we can carry our memories with us.



**JANE GAHAN**  
President, Chapter 1072

## Aurora Chapter 1072

A very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you and your families! I wish you a year filled with health, happiness and new adventures! As you're aware this year presented many challenges for federal employees and retirees as federal

employees and retirees as federal agencies saw significant cuts to their workforce. The new administration sought to cut 300,000 positions; approximately 317,000 positions were cut and about 68,000 were hired for a net loss of 249,000 employees. These cuts were achieved through executive orders, the Deferred Resignation Program and Reductions in Force (RIF). This has resulted in an overburdened retirement system. OPM states it has a 66 day wait and more than 48,000 retiree accounts backlogged. (Statistics obtained through AI and NBC News Washington.) The administration also sought to upend many of our benefits such as requiring active employees to contribute more to their FERs pensions, changing the calculation for computation of retirement pay from the highest three years of salary to the highest five, replacing the FEHB system with vouchers and eliminating the FERS supplement. NARFE worked diligently with Congress to remove these from consideration. Our members' regular communications with their representatives had considerable impact on these outcomes.

Over the last year NARFE reached out to those federal employees affected by the administration's personnel actions. Nationally, we saw significant gains in membership. Yearend statistics are not yet available but as of 10/31/25, the Colorado Federation of NARFE Chapters gained 77 new members for the period beginning 1/1/25 (17 chapter members, 60 national members), totaling 3,352 - a 2.35% gain. Our chapter membership remains strong. Chapter 1072 gained 16 new members during 2025, offsetting a loss of 15 members due to non-renewal, 4 deceased members. Many thanks goes to Debbie Rodgers, Colorado Federation and Chapter 1072 Vice President for Membership, taking charge of our chapter's participation in the health fairs for this year's open season. Her efforts resulted in the completion of 30 Prospect Information Cards (M-2) associated with our chapter. Debbie and I will be following up, encouraging those individuals to become NARFE members and reaching out to those members whose membership have lapsed. Even though the special incentive period ends December 31, 2025, members can still earn \$8 for every new employed individual they recruit.



## Tom Lujan, Congressional District leader CO 08

## Congressional District leader Report

As a CDL for District 8, I sent Representative Evans' Greeley Colorado office written correspondence introducing myself as NARFE Colorado Congressional District 8 Leader. The correspondence included NARFE Advocacy Priorities. The was sent February 19, 2025. Attended LegCon25 on Monday June 9th, 2025 through Wednesday June 11th, 2025. This conference was presented on Zoom platform. During Wednesday's session, capital hill visits were conducted virtually. I attended three Colorado sessions and lead the meeting with Representative Evan's Legislative Aide. Attended 2025 Colorado Federation Conference which was held at Windsor Gardens on June 20, 2025.



**COLORADO FEDERATION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
Minutes from Meeting – November 12, 2025**

CALL TO ORDER: President Frank Impinna called the zoom meeting of the Executive Committee to order at 10:00 a.m. on November 12, 2025.

PRESENT: Frank Impinna, Susan Tabacheck, Deborah Rodgers, Larry Schluntz, Greg Kann, Mary Bleecher, Sharon Reese, and Ted Van Hintum.

AGENDA: The agenda was approved with no changes.

The October, 2025 minutes were finalized and approved.

**REGION VII VICE PRESIDENT - Sharon Reese**

- Sharon noted she had reviewed the agenda for the NEB meeting next week.
- She is leaving for Alexandria on Sunday to attend a budget committee meeting on Monday followed by the NEB meeting. Currently there is a \$35,00 shortfall in the budget, so some revisions are anticipated.
- The NEB meeting will be conducted on Zoom for members not attending in person. One of the first items to be considered is the resolution changing the term of office for the national President to 2 3-year terms from 2 2- year terms. Currently, the other officers have that arrangement.
- On Wednesday, a motion opposing NEB meeting will be considered. It is undergoing a legal review, because the thought behind the motion is that NEB should not have open meetings.
- There is to be consideration of an update to the strategic plan to modify the provisions of the 501 (c) 3 designation to cover the webinars.
- The final report on the merger of the New Mexico and Arizona Federations has been completed including the handling of the funds.

**PRESIDENT’S REPORT**

- Frank participated in the Health Seminar on October 23 at the Federal Center which was prior to the start of open season.
- On November 3, he visited Chapter 1072. Twenty-seven were in attendance along with a few representatives of the various health insurance agencies.
- On November 10, he attended a health fair at the Veteran’s Administration along with Deborah Rodgers. They distributed several membership applications.

PAST FEDERATION PRESIDENT – Ted Van Hintum - Ted had no comments to make at this point.

**MEMBERSHIP – Frank Impinna and Debbie Rodgers**

- The Federation is still growing, although we lost 5 members recently.

	1/1/25	10/31/25		Yearly
	Begin	End	Diff	Increase
Chapter	1,177	1,194	17	1.44%
National	2,098	2,158	60	2.86%
Total	3,275	3,352	77	2.35%

It is believed the marketing plan is helping, but Ted observed we are still losing members at the National level and inquired if we are getting value from Street Level.

**VICE PRESIDENT FOR LEGISLATION – Susan Tabacheck**

- Susan noted Senator Bennet is working on his campaign for Governor and Senator Hickenlooper is working on his reelection campaign.
- She is finishing materials to be distributed to NARFE members, including Congressional positions and contact personnel.

**TREASURER – Greg Kann**

**Checking Account**

Beginning Balance – (October 22, 2025)	\$27,197.99
10% Funds	0.00
Interest from CD	0.00
Expenses	0.00
Ending Balance – (November 11, 2025)	\$27,197.99

**Savings Account**

Beginning Balance – (October 22, 2025)	\$14,958.58
Interest Income	.13
Ending Balance – (November 11, 2025)	\$14,958.71
<b>Certificates of Deposit</b>	
4 – month (2.25%)	\$10,116.65
(Matures January 25, 2026)	Interest Earned-Not Paid \$27.23 (New CD 9/25)
	Interest paid in 2025-\$529.91
5 – month (3.4%)	\$30,000.00
(Matures January 27, 2026)	Interest Earned-Not Paid \$201.09
	Interest Paid in 2025-\$687.54
Total:	\$40,116.65
Grand Total:	\$82,273.35

The 2026 budget was passed, including \$17,000 for the National convention.

**NATIONAL MEMBER REPORT – Mary Bleecher**

MEMBERSHIP AS OF 11/03/2025:	2167
MEMBERSHIP AS OF 10/03/2025:	2153
ADDITIONS:	54
DELETIONS:	40
NET GAIN:	14
DECEASED:	7—Bechtold, Charlotte-Lakewood, Donahue, Virginia-Longmont, Jensen, Errol-Durango, Jipson, Judy-Centennial, Mikota, Victoria-Colorado Springs, Pippenger, Richard-Grand Junction, Terada, Isami-Denver,

**ALZHEIMER’S REPORT – Frank Impinna**

- October donation was \$196. Federation total for year=\$1,556.00

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# Chapter Meeting Information

## Chapter 81 • Denver-Capital City

- Meets the third Friday, at Windsor Gardens, 597 S. Clinton St (Alameda & Clinton) Board meeting in the El Gran Restaurant starting at 10:30 am followed by a business meeting at 11:00 am. Hall is handicap accessible.
- President - James Dodrill, 303-238-0191

## Chapter 256 • Fort Collins

- Meets the third Monday except July and August, 11:30 am. Elks Lodge 804, 1424 E. Mulberry St, Fort Collins.
- President - Ron Briggs, 970-493-2202

## Chapter 351 • Grand Junction

- The following dates are scheduled for the remainder of the year: June 13, September 12, and possibly December 12. Tuesday at 10 am. Grand Junction Public Library, 443 North 6th Street, Grand Junction. • President - Brad Pearson, 970-243-3078

## Chapter 820 • Longmont

- Meets the second Friday except August; 12:00 pm. Perkins Restaurant, 2051 Main St., Longmont.
- President - Larry Schluntz, 303-772-6419

## Chapter 821 • Loveland

- Meetings will start in September on the second Tuesday of the month at 1:30. Meeting will be held at Chilson Senior Center, 700 East 4th St., Loveland
- President - Tom Cherry, 970-663-0083

## Chapter 1040 • Arvada

- Meets at the Corona Mexican Grill, 7617 W. 88th Ave, Westminster at 11:30 on the third Wednesday of each month except August.
- President - Bob Carr, 970-290-0262.

## Chapter 1072 • Aurora

- Meets the first Monday; Lunch 11:00 am; Business 12:00 pm, Golden Corral, 11090 E. Mississippi Ave., Aurora.
- President – Jane Gahan, 720-256-5056

## Chapter 1085 • Mory Lewis

- Meets 2nd Tuesday, at 11:30, of every other month (Feb, Apr, Jun, Aug, Oct, and Dec) at the Sunrise Sunset Restaurant, 1424 S. Wadsworth, Lakewood.
- President – Pat Mather, 303-953-1146

## Chapter 2286 • Billie Love

- Chapter meets at 11:30 second Monday once each quarter in March, June, September, and December at alternate locations. Call Chapter President for dates and locations.
- President - Greg Kann, 303-718-7307

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#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- Open season for health insurance is in progress with the dates being from November 11 through December 9, 2025.
- Preparation for FEDcon26 is underway and members can stay up to date with information on the Colorado website.

#### NEW BUSINESS:

- Any proposals for national bylaws amendments must be submitted by March 6, 2026 in accordance with the NARFE National Bylaws as amended October 1, 2024 (FH-4 (01/25)).
- Requests for candidates to run for National Office must be submitted by June 15th.
- NARFE.org has been refreshed to make it easier to find the resources and information you need.
- There will be a possible referendum vote to amend the provisions of the terms for National President. This is expected to be completed prior to March 6th.

Meeting adjourned at 10:46 a.m.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING: Will be January 21, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. via Zoom.

LARRY SCHLUNTZ, Interim Colorado Federation Secretary

## Federal Retirees: When Will Your 2026 COLA Increase Appear in Your Annuity?

The government announced in October that the 2026 cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) for federal retirees will be 2.8%. The COLA process is complex, and it can be unclear for federal retirees to know when the new amount will actually be reflected in their monthly payments. The COLA that is announced in October each year takes effect on December 1. That means, however, that the higher annuity payment will show up in January.

According to the Office of Personnel Management (OPM), “Cost-of-Living Adjustments are effective each December 1st. The adjustment appears on your payment on the first business day of January, when your December benefit is paid.

#### Different COLA Amounts for FERS and CSRS

Remember also that the COLA amounts can vary for FERS and CSRS. Federal retirees under CSRS get the full COLA, but under FERS, the COLA is reduced. This is because of the additional retirement benefits provided under FERS, such as Social Security and matching TSP contributions. Here is a more detailed explanation. Social Security and CSRS pensions receive COLAs based on the rate of inflation as calculated by the CPI-W. The COLA for FERS pensions is not as generous. If the inflation rate is less than 2% in a year, the FERS pension will receive the full COLA amount. If inflation rises between 2% and 3%, the FERS COLA will be 2%. If inflation is up more than 2%, the FERS COLA is the inflation amount minus 1%.

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NEW YORK, NY – NARFE Magazine, the flagship publication of the National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association (NARFE), has been honored by the Folio: Eddie & Ozzie Awards.

NARFE Magazine received the 2025 Eddie Award for Best Full Issue in the Association/Nonprofit – Professional/Membership Association – Business, Leadership & Public Affairs category at an awards ceremony Monday, October 6, in New York.

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“This award is a testament to the professionalism and dedication of our editorial team and the value NARFE Magazine delivers to our members every month,” said William “Bill” Shackelford, NARFE National President. “To be recognized alongside such respected national publications affirms that NARFE Magazine not only informs and supports the federal community, but also stands as a leader in the broader publishing world.”

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